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Michigan Black Summit Announces "Faith and Governance" Panel with Prominent Pastors

The Michigan Black Summit is thrilled to announce a groundbreaking panel discussion, "Faith and Governance," featuring some of Benton Harbor faith leaders. This impactful session will explore the vital role faith plays in governance, particularly in shaping our communities and guiding the nation through pivotal moments—such as the aftermath of the 2024 Presidential Election.



The panel will be led by:

Pastor Jerry Bishop of LifeQuest Ministries, Grand Rapids

Pastor Duane Seats of Abundant Life Ministries

Pastor Darren McCormick of Israelite Baptist Church

Pastor Carlton Lynch, a renowned faith leader and community advocate Pastor of Pilgrim Rest Baptist Church

The discussion will delve into how faith can inspire leadership, promote unity, and help address the complex challenges facing our communities. Panelists will share insights on how governance and spirituality intersect, fostering a deeper understanding of their shared role in achieving equity, resilience, and progress.

"Faith has always been the backbone of governance in times of triumph and trial," says Michigan Black Summit Chair, Trenton Bowens. "This session will highlight the importance of moral and spiritual leadership as we navigate the post-election landscape and work to uplift our communities."

Join us at the Michigan Black Summit on February 7-8, 2025, in Benton Harbor, Michigan, as we continue to educate, empower, and inspire through meaningful dialogue.

Registration is now open: [Michigan Black Summit Eventbrite](#)

For media inquiries, sponsorship opportunities, or additional details, please contact:
Trenton Bowens, Chair

Don't miss this opportunity to hear from Michigan's leading voices in faith and governance as they chart a path forward for the Black community and beyond.

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